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Media Advisory

**REP. HINTZ TO HOST INFORMATIONAL HEARING ON
IMMUNIZATIONS IN WISCONSIN**

MADISON – Representative Gordon Hintz (D-Oshkosh) will host an informational briefing on the State of Immunizations in Wisconsin in the Capitol later this month. James Conway, MD and Stephanie Schauer, PhD will present the facts on why vaccinations are important, recent immunization trends in Wisconsin and the future of immunizations and herd immunity in our state.

WHO: Representative Gordon Hintz, Dr. James Conway, Dr. Stephanie Schauer

WHAT: Informational hearing on Immunizations in Wisconsin

WHEN: Wednesday, September 25TH from 11:00AM to 12:30PM

WHERE: Room 411 South, Wisconsin State Capitol

Rep. Hintz released the following statement on the importance of informing the public about vaccines:

“We need to do all we can to avoid a completely unnecessary outbreak in our state. Vaccinations are a public health issue and not just parental right,” Rep. Hintz stated. “It is in the public’s best interest to have research-based, accurate information readily available. I want everyone in Wisconsin, to understand the important role vaccinations play in keeping our communities healthy and safe from previously eradicated diseases like measles.”

You can visit Rep. Hintz’ website about vaccines at: <http://legis.wisconsin.gov/assembly/54/hintz/vaccines/>

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